

### Common Protocol 3 Orofacial Examination and Hearing Screening Protocol



Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Exam: \_\_\_\_\_

Facial Symmetry at Rest

Comments:

Breathing

Comments:

SCORING KEY	
+	within normal limits
-	deviation noted
W	weakness noted
NR	No Response

#### Lips

Appearance at Rest

Round Lips (pucker)

Draw Corners Back (smile)

Close Lips and Puff Cheeks

Bite Lower Lip

Describe Lip Deviations or Indications of Weakness:

#### Tongue

Surface Appearance at Rest Describe:

Lingual Frenum

Stick Out as Far as You Can  Push Against Tongue Blade to Assess Strength

Tip Up  Tip Down

Tip Right  Tip Left  Alternate Left to Right

Push Against Inside of Each Cheek or Tongue Blade on Each Side to Assess Strength

Place Tip on Alveolar Ridge  Draw Tip Back along Hard Palate

Describe Tongue Deviations or Indications of Weakness:

#### Dentition and Occlusion

General Condition of Teeth  Describe:

Occlusion Based on Lateral View of First Molars (Check below, as appropriate)

o Normal occlusion: mandibular first molar is one-half tooth ahead of maxillary first molar

o Class I, Neutroclusion (maxilla and mandible are in correct occlusion, but individual teeth are misaligned, rotated or jumbled)

o Class II, Distocclusion (mandible is too far back in relation to maxilla)

o Class III, Mesioclusion (mandible is too far forward in relation to maxilla)

- Alignment (Check below, as appropriate)
- Open bite
  - Overbite
  - Overjet
  - Underbite

**Hard Palate**

- General Appearance       Vault Height       Vault Width

Comments:

**Soft Palate and Pharynx**

- Appearance and Symmetry of Soft Palate at Rest
- Appearance of the Uvula       Bifid Uvula
- Appearance of Faucial Arches at Rest       Palatine Tonsils

Describe any deviations of the soft palate or faucial arches, at rest:

**Velopharyngeal Mechanism**

Assess the velopharyngeal mechanism during the tasks described below:

**Have the client sustain "ah" for as long as possible.**

**Have the client say "ah - ah - ah."**

- Vertical movement of the velum (up and back)       Symmetry of movement
- Medial movement of the lateral pharyngeal walls       Symmetry of movement

**Have the client sustain /u/ while you alternate occluding and opening the nostrils.**

Was there a change in vocal quality?    YES    NO

Was hypernasality present?    YES    NO

Comments:

**Diadochokinetic rates**

Task	Repetitions	Seconds	Repetitions per Second
/pʌ/	_____	_____	_____
/tʌ/	_____	_____	_____
/kʌ/	_____	_____	_____
/pʌtə/	_____	_____	_____
/pʌtəkə/	_____	_____	_____

Comments on the rate, accuracy, and consistency of productions during diadochokinetic tasks:

*Orofacial Examination and Hearing Screening Protocol (continued)***Hearing Screening**

	500 Hz	1000 Hz	2000 Hz	4000 Hz
Right Ear	_____	_____	_____	_____
Left Ear	_____	_____	_____	_____

Completed at \_\_\_\_\_ dB (loudness level)

- Passed.     Failed the hearing screening—audiologic evaluation recommended.
- Hearing Screening not completed. Why?

Comments on the Hearing Screening: